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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

AGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the Cabinet Room of The White House on Saturday, April 29, 1961 at 10:30 a.m.

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In addition to the Statutory Members and Advisers, the following are being invited to attend this meeting: The Secretary of the Treasury; the Director, Bureau of the Budget; the Director, U. S. Information Agency; the Under Secretary of State; the Deputy Secretary of Defense; the Special Assistants to the President for National Security Affairs and for Science and Technology; the Deputy Under Secretary of State; the Counselor, Department of State; the U. S. Ambassador to Viet Nam; the Assistant Secretary of Defense (ISA); the Deputy Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs; the Adviser to the President for Para-Military Affairs; the Chief of MAAG in Viet Nam; and the Military Aide to the President.

U. S. POLICY IN VIET NAM (Draft Record of Actions of 479th NSC Meeting, Item 2-a)

The report on "A Program of Action to Prevent Communist Domination of South Vietnam", prepared by a Task Force under the Deputy Secretary of Defense and discussed on a preliminary basis at the April 27 meeting of the Council, will be considered. Any member of the Council having a specific objection to the report will be expected to propose alternative language.

NOTE

Another meeting of the Council is scheduled for Thursday, May 4, 1961, at 10:00 a.m., for discussion of U. S. Policy Toward Cuba. Papers for discussion at this meeting should be delivered to the NSC Secretariat not later than noon, Tuesday, May 2, for circulation to the Council.

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